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African Violets  
and Begonias

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# FOREWORD

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I thank you for the nice cards and letters you have sent me, telling me how nice your plants and leaves have arrived.

I do not have small plants of all varieties; as far as possible I will mark the varieties that I have no small plants of with "L"; (this means "leaves only".) Please name a substitute or two as the supply of small plants is limited in some varieties. Otherwise I will have to send you the variety nearest like the one you want. I do have some plants in bud and bloom. Write me your wants. All plants are state inspected.

## GROUP I New and scarce varieties.

Leaves 50¢ each. Small, well-started plants 80¢ each.

*plants in bud or bloom \$1.50 each.*

- BLUE ALBINO GIRL (Ostolski) Slightly cupped medium blue flowers on heart-shaped girl foliage. Top of leaf variegated green and white.
- RED ALBINO GIRL (Ostolski) Sweetpea type red flower on variegated white and bronze girl foliage. Red undersides.
- NIAGARA ALBINO GIRL (Wilson) ~~Rosa~~ red flowers in abundance that do not fall off; Beautiful variegated green and white girl foliage; very attractive.
- ELIZABETH THE QUEEN (Ten Hagen) Double lavender and white flowers; larger than a silver dollar; supreme foliage.
- SHOW ARISTOCRAT (Ten Hagen) Mammoth double white flowers with a tint of blue in the center. Supreme foliage. /type.
- SHOW GLOW (Ten Hagen) Double red flowers with a beautiful scalloped leaf; supreme
- SHOW LADY (Ten Hagen) Huge odd shaped double lavender bicolored flowers. /leaf.
- SHOW EMPRESS (Ten Hagen) Large double orchid flowers; dark spooned leaf; supreme
- PINK FRINGETTE - A bright clear pink delicately ruffled; foliage is fringed and reddened below; free flowering.
- MOUNTAIN MIST (Morris) Huge white flowers of good substance with orchid edges; foliage is a beautiful hairy dupont like Providence, its parent.
- PINK ACHIEVEMENT (Tonkadale) Double pink; best seedling at St. Louis Convention; this will be late as none are shipped until April; a few leaves only this spr.

## GROUP II New Varieties

*plants in bud or bloom \$1.25 each*

Leaves 40¢ each, 10 for \$3.50. Small plants 60¢ each.

- ADA MCGILL - Pure white double flowers; heavy foliage.
- APRIL SHOWERS - Medium blue with streaks of silver in flowers.
- BOYCE EDENS (Nicols) Huge bicolor; deep orchid purple top contrasts with the pale orchid lower petals; deep bronze-green foliage.
- BLACK MAGIC - Deep blue full double flowers with golden eye on very dark green heart-shaped foliage.
- BLUE OHIO - Large clear blue flowers; dark, round supreme leaf.
- BLACK SWAN - Nice red bicolorflowers on bronzy black foliage with light green girl spot. Named for its dark foliage.
- BLUE WAXWING - A very deep blue; dark spooned girl foliage.
- BLACK TIP GIRL - Two upper petals almost black; lower petals med. blue; girl fol.
- BLUE HORIZON (Fischer) Deep purple double white edged.
- CHERI - Wine colored ruffled sweetpea flowers; dark girl foliage.
- CHERIO - Double red; pretty foliage.
- CORONATION ~~DOX~~ (Milligan) *2y. dbl. blue flrs, heavy girl fol.*
- CHARTREUSE (Ulery) White flowers with chartreuse edge on front and back; two top petals almost all chartreuse; medium girl foliage. /girl foliage.
- CLEMANTINE (Tinari) Pure white frilled sweetpea flowers; lovely bright green frilly
- COPPER GLOW DOUBLE GIRL
- DOUBLE ONE - Super size; double blue; very heavy dark foliage.
- DOUBLE RUFFLED FRINGED WHITE GIRL - Beautiful heavy girl foliage; large double white flowers with blue tints in some flowers.
- DOUBLE BLUE GIRL - Similar to Double Neptune, but has a shiny girl leaf.
- EDITH CAVILLE - Heavily fringed large delicate ivory and lavender bicolor; fringed bronzy green foliage. (Continued on reverse side.)



- FROSTY - A variegated foliage that propagates true; flowers white to light blue.  
 FROSTY MORN - Amethyst flowers; dark green and white variegated foliage; sometimes tinted pink.  
 FROSTY NIGHT - Dark blue flowers; variegated green and white foliage.  
 FUCHSIA SPOON (Keller) Fuchsia shade flowers; foliage flat, rolled-up edge, red undersides in good light.  
 FANTASY DOUBLE GIRL  
 GAYLASS - Rosy pink ruffled flowers; wavy foliage.  
 GLACIER BEAUTY - Double large blue and white flowers in clusters; deeply scalloped large light green girl foliage.  
 GROTEI GIRL - Large light blue flowers; a child of Grotei.  
 HEATHER - Bronze girl foliage; flowers color of heather.  
 HILDEGARDE - Rose orchid ruffled flowers on dark green heavily veined foliage.  
 HAWAIIAN STAR - Large light blue double flowers; good foliage.  
 HI-LOA ORCHID (Tonkadale)  
 HOLLY (Keller) Dark bronzy leaves that resemble holly; red under, med. blue flws. a beautiful plant.  
 IOWA (Keller) A sport of Holly. Large supreme ruffled foliage. Large medium blue flowers. Good bloomer.  
 LUSCIOUS ORCHID DUPONT (Spen) Dark heavy dupont foliage. Large medium orchid flws. petals sometimes edged darker.  
 MISS TRENTON (Meeds) A good clear pink with good girl foliage.  
 MISS LOUISA - Very large red orchid iridescent flower with a crystal clear edge. Very pretty girl foliage.  
 OHIO BRIDE (Meeds) A creamy white frilled flower on dark wavy foliage.  
 PEACH BLOSSOM (Ulery) Cerise pink with girl foliage.  
 PINK WONDER (Ulery) Beautiful large pink flowers; nice foliage; the fastest growing of all pinks.  
 POMPADOUR - Amazon type of Azure Beauty. Double. /more cupped.  
 PECO PAINTED GIRL - Beautiful notched foliage; flowers similar to Painted Girl only  
 PINK CHEER SUPREME - Similar to Show Pink.  
 PROVIDENCE - Heavy dupont foliage with long silvery hairs; large lavender-pink flower flat growth; a beautiful plant.  
 PINK DREAM (June) A fine new pink.  
 QUEEN'S CUSHION - A magnificent big puffy double in red orchid tones.  
 RUFFLED DOUBLE ORCHID NEPTUNE -  
 REVELATION (Tonkadale) Double two-toned reddish purple; nice foliage.  
 RUFFLED PINK QUEEN - Large pink flowers; very nice girl foliage.  
 RUBY BOUQUET SUPREME (Burke) Ruby Bouquet gone supreme.  
 RADIANT CHANTILLY (June) Girl foliage; dark orchid flowers with darker lines running from each petal to the eye.  
 RUFFLED TREASURE - Pretty pastel shades of light lavender to rose orchid <sup>ruffled</sup> flowers; wavy dark green bronzy foliage; heavy bloomer.  
 SILVER SNOW - Giant deep cupped flowers of satin white well above beautiful variegated green and white foliage.  
 SUN GLOW - Large fully double rose orchid flowers on a good pliable light green leaf.  
 SUN DANCE - Large fluffy semi-double, deep red orchid bicolor flowers with prominent yellow centers on nice foliage; heavy bloomer.  
 SPRINGFIELD BEAUTY - A very large blue double; nice foliage; beautiful.  
 SANDRA'S CHOICE (Morris) Many large blue flowers open up at once; prolific bloomer. Beautiful foliage that grows straight out; a show plant. /winner.  
 WHITE MADONNA - A large full double; pure white on dark green girl foliage; a prize  
 WINTRY NIGHT - Foliage beautiful clear speckled chartreuse and marbelized dark forest green; center of plant clear chartreuse; large double blue flowers.  
 WHITE SWAN - Beautiful girl foliage; large white flowers; faint tint of blue.  
 WHITE SAILOR GIRL - Beautiful white single flowers on Sailor Girl foliage.

some reproduction in Sept. 1955 - after some Violet mag.

- (Violet Halo (Spangler) dbl. violet fls. white backed shiny halo around each petal. dark fls. red under.  
 Orchid Puff (Spangler) dbl. ~~to~~ two toned orchid fls. dk green fls.  
 mottled double (Spangler) mottled blue and white dbl. fls. med green fls.



- ALL AGLOW - Deep coral pink; girl foliage; semi-miniature. Showy.
- ALBINO - Lavender flowers. Albino foliage. Sometimes tinted rose. Very pretty.
- ARTISE - Nice dark girl foliage; orchid flowers.
- AZURE FLUFF (Spen.) A pastel tinted double sport of Azure Beauty.
- AUTUMN - Beautiful bronzy wavy foliage; double frilled blue flowers.
- ABIGAIL - Nice girl foliage. Blue flowers.
- AMERICA - Strong-growing dupont foliage with huge true-blue flowers.
- AZURE IMPROVED - Large white double tinted light blue in center. Prolific bloomer.
- BLUE ICE (June)(Fischer) Frilled white with blue markings at petal edge and in the flower center. Girl foliage.
- BLUE BUTTERCUP (Fischer) Light blue cupped-shaped flowers. Scalloped leaf.
- BLUE BEAU - (Fischer) A handsome dark blue flower.
- BRIDAL WREATH - Blue with white edge.
- BROWN'S ARISTOCRAT - Compact growth; bicolored cupped flowers. Beautiful foliage.
- BRONZE DUCHESS -
- BROWN'S NELLIE - Glistening red, pretty foliage.
- BLONDY - Variegated albino foliage. /at edge.
- BLAZING GIRL (Min) Frilly girl foliage. Flowers light orchid in center, deep burgundy
- BLACK BEAUTY DOUBLE GIRL - A very deep blue double. Beautiful glossy girl foliage.
- BARONESS (June) Large fluffy medium blue double. Flat-growing, deeply notched, dark green foliage. Very nice.
- BRENDA GIRL - A beautiful plant with lovely girl foliage. Compact grower, flowers a beautiful red violet shade.
- BRUSSELS SPROUTS - Double blooms that do not open completely. Purple inside, green outside like a parrot tulip.
- BO-PEEP (Fischer)(June) Fringed deep mauve flowers. Small size.
- CALICO QUEEN (Reichert) Medium blue; girl foliage speckled with silver. Fades and comes back with the seasons.
- CRYSTAL QUEEN (Reichert) Flower 3-toned, silver back.
- CAVALIER - A dark blue double on bronzy quilted heart-shaped foliage; popular.
- CONFEDERATE BEAUTY (Fischer) Deep velvety blue; plain foliage.
- CINDERELLA (Fischer) Highly ruffled two-toned flower of blue and white. girl foliage.
- DOUBLE LACE - A White double.
- DOUBLE RASPBERRY (Meeds) Double cineraria color. Good bloomer.
- DREAM GIRL - Beautiful notched girl foliage. Blue and white flowers.
- DELAWARE - Huge dark blue flowers; dupont foliage.
- DIPLATRICA SUPREME - Unusual foliage. Light blue flowers.
- DOUBLE NEPTUNE SUPREME - Double Neptune gone supreme.
- DAWSONS EASTER PARADE -
- DOUBLE CHAMPION - Heavy foliage. Huge double blue flowers. Striking.
- DOUBLE RUBY BICOLOR - /flowers.
- DOUBLE FRINGED ORCHID - Beautiful wavy foliage, red under, large double fringed orchid
- DOUBLE FRINGED WHITE - Wavy foliage. Double fringed white flowers.
- DOUBLE GORGEOUS BLUE WONDER - A beautiful variegated large white and light blue dbl.
- EDNA FISCHER - No leaves this spring; few small plants.
- EXCLUSIVE QUEEN (June) Good girl foliage. Flowers some all white, some streaked in blue and some all blue. Good bloomer.
- EASTER EGG (Ulery) A marbelized bloom.
- ENCHANTRESS - Girl foliage.
- EASTER BONNET (June)
- EVENING SUNSET - Heavy foliage. Pink overlaid on blue.
- EMPRESS JOSEPHINE (Gammell) Huge double blue flowers. Girl foliage.
- ECLIPSE (Fischer) Double red, lavender, edged white.
- EVENTIDE (Fischer) Rich red lavender.
- FLOYD JOHNSON (Meeds) Lavender pink flowers. Dupont foliage.
- FABULOUS GIRL - Girl foliage. Flowers pale lavender with deeper rosier tips.
- FLAMINGO GIRL - Pink with girl foliage. /base of leaf.
- FANNY GIRL - Pretty bicolor flowers, olive green girl foliage, with reddish spot at
- FANTASIA - Fantasy supreme.
- FLUFFY RUFFLES - White and blue mixed on girl foliage.
- FISCHERS DOUBLE ORCHID -
- FRILLED BLUE DELIGHT - Dainty white ruffled flower edged in light blue.
- GIRLIWINKLE - Light blue airy flowers; lovely girl foliage.
- GIANT LAVENDER GIRL - Huge flowers, large girl foliage.
- GIRL AT DAWN - Girl foliage. Flowers reddish plum. Very pretty.
- GLITTER (Pound) Very dark foliage with glittery flecks. Flowers light blue with silvery flecks. Good bloomer.
- GENEVA BEAUTY - Same shade flower as Lady Geneva, only a better edge.
- GIANT PURPLE DOUBLE (Brown) Large double purple on robust foliage.
- GREAT DANE - Extra nice big double dark blue flowers. Large foliage.
- GENERAL HERKIMER - Red.
- GENEVA KING - Huge blue flowers with blended edge. Prolific bloomer.
- HER MAJESTY - Double orchid on waxy girl foliage.
- HERKIMER GIRL - Blue, girl foliage.



HONEY GIRL - Rose red flowers; nice girl foliage.  
HEATHER QUEEN - Pink flowers, girl foliage.  
IVORY QUEEN - Large white flowers; heavy dark girl foliage.  
~~INDIANAPOLIS RED~~ -  
INSPIRATION - Flowers large violet color, heavy foliage.  
JUBILEE - Rose orchid, bi-colored flowers with a white edge. /large.  
JUNGLE EMPRESS (June) Large two-toned double blue flowers. Fol. very cut away &  
JUNGLE FERN (June) Beautiful fern-like foliage.  
~~Je-ROME~~ (Burke) Wavy frilled foliage; blue flowers with good fringe.  
JULIET - A good rose double, held well above fol., deep green leaves, sharply toothed  
LITTLE SWEETHEART (Meeds) Pretty double white with blue center. /pink-stemmed fol.  
LORELI - Very pretty lavender-pink Geneva with a crystal clear edge on beautiful  
LUCKY LADY SUPREME - Huge white, clean cut blue edging.  
LADY GENEVA SUPREME - (June or later) Supreme type Lady Geneva.  
LADY ENCHANTRESS - Girl foliage. Flowers dark wine with white edge.  
MAYBE (Meeds) Showy flowers, majority all white; occasionally flowers with blue  
markings in stripes, eyes or Easter egg markings on the same plant.  
MINNETONKA (Tonkedale) Double blue and white flowers; fol. held up off the pot rim.  
MAUVE PINK GIRL - Girl foliage; mauve pink flowers.  
MISS LIBERTY (Win.) Dark blue edged in white.  
MISTY MORN (Fischer) Girl foliage. Flowers imp. Christmas Star.  
MOON EMPRESS - Double deep blue with violet shades at edge. Girl Foliage.  
MAGNIFICO - Huge orchid double flowers. Lovely.  
MAUVE CUSHION GIRL (Min)  
NELLIE GIRL (Brown) Red flowers, girl foliage.  
NELLIE (Brown) Red flowers, nice foliage.  
NAUGHTY MARIETTA (Min) Pink flowers.  
NIAGARA FRINGETTE (Wilson)  
NEPTUNE GIRL *9 top, like Queen Neptune but girl fol.*  
OHIO VIOLET (Meeds) Green wavy foliage. red violone flowers with deeper eye.  
OHIO BRIDE (Meeds) Green flare type foliage; crepe edge white flowers.  
OVERLAY (Meeds) Dark green foliage; flowers blue overlaid with streaked pink.  
PINK CHALICE - Cupped pink flowers; girl foliage.  
PURPLE FLUFF - Large double purple flowers. Prolific bloomer.  
PRIMEOSE - Very large red marked flowers. Outstanding.  
PEACHIE - Peach color. *(mini-mini)*  
PACIFIC REDWOOD - Blue flowers, cupped leaves, red under, outstanding.  
PEACHES AND CREAM - Pink and white, dark green foliage.  
PINK SUNBURST - Pink flowers deeper in center; small foliage. *(mini-mini)* /fol.  
PANDORA (Granger) Huge lt. blue cup-shaped flowers in profusion on med. green girl  
PAINTED LADY - *white edged and*  
PAINTED BOY - Mottled blue and white flowers.  
PIXIE (Min) Orchid bi-color, with lavender, colorful girl foliage.  
PINK DOLL (Min. pink)  
PURPLE DOGWOOD (Brown) Purple with white dot on petals.  
QUEEN GENEVA - *dark blue flower edged in white girl fol.*  
QUILTED AZURE -  
ROSE BEAUTY - Double white edged rose.  
ROSE GLOW - Heavy dark green fol., red under, rose colored flowers.  
RAINBOW KING - Orchid bloom with white edge.  
RED DOGWOOD (Brown) Deep red with white dot on petals.  
~~RUFFLED DOUBLE ORCHID NEPTUNE~~ -  
RED EMPRESS - *red purple dbl, classic* /green foliage.  
RIPPLING GENEVA (Gent) (June) Med. blue flowers, edged in white, long narrow rippling  
RED HEIRESS - Large red flowers, heavy girl foliage.  
RUFFLED QUEEN - Heavily fringed dark burgundy, heavy dupont foliage.  
ROBIN HOOD - Red bicolor; twotoned.  
RUBY BOUQUET - Double.  
RED SWEET PEA GIRL - Red sweet pea type flowers; lovely girl foliage.  
RED LADY - A brilliant red; modified girl foliage.  
RED PRINCESS (Uley) Flowers wine red, good girl foliage.  
ROSEONNA CAULIFLOWER EAR - Blue scooped leaf.  
ROSEONNA WHITE VELVET -  
ROSEONNA OAK LEAF - Geneva type flowers; blue white edged.  
ROSEONNA BLUE CRYSTAL -  
ROSEONNA ORCHID BASKET - Double  
ROSEONNA CALLA -  
ROSEONNA PINK GIRL -  
ROSEONNA PINK FANTASY -  
STAR GLOW (Fischer) Shimmering white.  
SILVER LINING (Fischer) Light blue double edged in white.  
SNOW LINE (Fischer) Red-lavender double edged in white.  
SHOCKING PINK - A beautiful keep pink.  
SPARKLE - White round flowers; heavy girl foliage.  
SPRING HAT -  
SUGAR PLUM GIRL - Wine edged in white, large flowers, girl foliage.  
SCOTTS STRIPE - No leaves. Few small plants. Beautiful blue & white stripe.



SILHOUETTE (Fischer) Large deep blue flowers; tinted edge.  
 SKY GIRL (Meeds) Columbine blue flowers; beautiful girl foliage.  
 SNOW PRINCE SUPREME - Snow Prince gone supreme.  
 SWEETHEART (Fischer) Shell pink; profuse bloomer.  
 SCOOPED BEAUTY - Dark green foliage with white back; med. blue flowers.  
 STAR GIRL - Girl foliage; blue and white variegated flowers.  
 SEA QUEEN - Double. Girl Foliage.  
 SUNSET LANE (Rector) Light orchid; handsome plant.  
 SIR LANCELOT - King of the bicolors; beautiful two-toned orchid.  
 SILVER SPOON GIRL - Scooped girl foliage; white reverse orchid flowers.  
 SUPRITA - Large deep red flowers; supreme foliage.  
 TRULY FAIR (June) Bronzy girl foliage; round, light blue flowers.  
 TONKABELL - (Tonkadale) White with heavy blue border, sometimes other markings.  
 TREASURE ISLAND - Very large orchid bi-color flowers; nice foliage; good bloomer.  
 UNCLE BOB (Brown) Very nice. Large pink flowers; good bloomer.  
 VIOLET BEAUTY GIRL - Violet Beauty with girl foliage.  
 VIOLET ECSTASY (Brown) Violet flowers with white dot on petals.  
 VIOLET DANCER - (Brown) Wavy foliage; fringed violet flowers.  
 VICTORY GIRL *(Wilson) red & purple fls. semi-girl fol.*  
 VIOLET GLOW - Pinkish overcast; different.  
 WHITE BUTTERCUP - (Fischer) Cupped white flowers; scalloped foliage.  
 WONDER GIRL -- *white fls. speckled blue in center, girl fol.*  
 WHITE CAPS (Fischer) Deep blue, white edged.  
 WHITE ALURE - Girl foliage. *white fls. some marked blue.*  
 WINTERGREEN - Double white and blue; variegated frosty foliage.  
 WINE BUTTERCUP (Fischer) Red-lavender, cupped-shaped flowers.  
 WHITE QUEEN'S LACE - Very frilly girl foliage. White flowers.  
 WHITE PRIZE (Brown) Large white flowers; good foliage.

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GROUP IV Leaves 25¢ 10 for \$2.00

Small plants 35¢ *plants in bud or bloom .75¢*

Azure Beauty (dbl)	Painted Ballerina
Bronze Queen (blue)	Portland Rose (pink cerise eye)
Blue Heiress	Purity Dbl. White
Blue Moon	Pink Cheer
Bright Morning (Rosy)	Pink Fantasy
Crimson Glory (Min)	Purple Fire (fiery purple)
Cranberry Girl <i>(Min)</i>	Purple Emperor (lg. blue)
Crested Beauty (Rosy)	Pink Delight
Catalina Mermaid (blue,min)	Pinnocchio (blue & wh)
Cherokee (red)	Ruffles (blue)
Double Lady (blue)	Royal Ripples
Dainty Duchess (pink)	Ruffled Girl (blue)
Dark Beauty (dbl)	Red King
Dbl. Queen Neptune	Ruffled Beauty (orchid; semi-min)
Dbl. Ruffles (purple)	Red Spoon
Dainty Delight (pink)	Rose Flush (Rosy)
Dark Sea Girl (Dbl)	Snow Prince
Fluffy Lady (dbl)	Specht's No. 10 (semi-min. blue)
Fairy Boats (blue)	Spooned Girl (blue)
Fantasy (speckled)	Tinted Girl (wh & orchid)
Grey Dawn	Ulerys Orchid Hybrid
Grotie (climber)	Violet Beauty
Geneva Star (wh&blue)	White Beauty
Gorgeous Blue Wonder	White King
Hugh's Holly (orchid)	
Innocence (creamy white)	
Indianola (orchid)	
Jivarro (blue)	
Luscious Red	
Lavender Beauty	
Lacy Bouquet (dbl)	
Light Blue Double	
Ma Chère (Min. blue)	
Mauve Lace (min)	
Mottled White Girl fol.	
Marine Bouquet (dbl)	
New Jersey King	
Orchid Sunset (dbl)	
Orchid Velvet	
Painted Girl (wh & red)	

Note: I have other varieties of African Violets available. If you fail to see what you want, please write me. I may have it.



EPISCIAS - Tropical trailing plants; African violet cousins.  
Unrooted cuttings 35¢. Leaves 25¢ each.

- E. FULGIDIA (Coccinea) Large brown leaves with bright silver green veins; red fringed flowers. Plants, 50¢. /Plant, 50¢.
- E. VIRIDEFOLIA - Green bronzy cast foliage; best bloomer; orange-red flowers.
- E. HARLEQUIN - Smooth shining leaves, very dark brown edges contrasted with central pattern of greenish white. Red flowers. Plant 50¢.
- E. CUPREATA - Hairy coppery colored leaves. Red flowers. Plant 50¢.
- E. SILVER SHEEN - Leaves bright silver with darker margins. Red flwrs. Plant 50¢.
- E. LILACINA - Dark coppery bronze foliage; blue flowers. Plant 75¢. /Plants 75¢.
- E. MRS. FANNY HAAGE - Silver green midriff and veins. Dark pebbly border. Blue flrs.
- E. TESSELLATA - Yellow flowers; does not have runners; grows upright. Dark bronzy green pubby texture; red under leaf. Leaf only, 35¢. Plant, 75¢.

*Canal zone Episcia sent direct from Panama - 12 buds 25¢ + Stamp*

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#### BEGONIAS FOR 1955

- BEGONIA ALTO-SCHARFF - Beautiful velvety, very dark green leaves that curl slightly showing red undersides. Flowers white and pink. Plant 75¢.
- B. BESSIE BUXTON - Upright Beefsteak Begonia. Lt. pink flowers in winter. Plant 50¢
- B. CONCHAEFOLIA - Leaf like a conch shell, spiralled. A little different than Feasti helix. Has more red under. Plants 50¢.
- B. CAROLINE - Cane type; thrifty grower. Cut 20¢.
- B. Coccinea - Salmon pink, cane type; cut, 20¢.
- B. CORDELAGO - Cane type but branchless. Cut 20¢.
- B. CATALINA (Syn. Lady Waterlow) Graceful plant, slightly hairy leaves, flrs. pink. Cut. 15¢.
- B. CAROLINEAFOLIA - Large glossy green leaf divided on stem, palm-like; pink blooms. Different. Plants 75¢. Leaf 25¢.
- B. CORBEILLE DE FEU - Med. glossy green leaves, scarlet flrs. in winter; plant 50¢.
- B. DI-ANNA - Free flowering heavily spotted cane type; salmon orange flowers, plant 50¢ cutting 25¢.
- B. DI-ERNA - This Dichroa hybrid lacks the silver spots so pronounced in Di-Anna Flowers more freely. Deeper color than Di-Anna. Plants 50¢. Cut. 25¢.
- B. DECKERS SELECT - Fibrous; larger leaves than Fuchsioides; heart-shaped red buds, turning to pink as they open. Cut. 25¢.
- B. FRUTICOSA - Think dark green leaves edged red; pinkish flowers. Cut. 25¢.
- B. FUCHSIOIDES ROSEA - Fibrous; leaves green and glossy but smaller and blunter than Fuchsioides. Rose-pink flowers. Cut. 25¢.
- B. FUSCOMACULATA - Rhizomatous; Smooth chocolate spotted leaves; pink flowers. Blooms late winter and spring. Leaf 15¢.
- B. GREEN TREE BEAUTY - Cane type; spotted leaves. Cut. 20¢.
- B. HELEN - Graceful plant, pure white flowering Lucerna. Cut. 25¢. /Plant 50¢.
- B. HERACLEIFOLIA (VAR. PYRAMIDALIS) All-green star leafed begonia. Leaf 15¢.
- B. HYDROCOTYLIFOLIA - Pennywort or miniature Pond Lily type. Small in size. Dark green glossy leaves on short stems. Flrs. lt. pink in winter. Plant 50¢./lf. 15
- B. INCANA - Rhizomatous; gray green peltate leaves; flrs. creamy white tinged pink.
- B. ILLUSTRATA - Belongs to the Grape Leaf Group. Compact plant with small green, faintly mottled leaves; flrs. in winter. Plant 50¢.
- B. JOE HAYDEN - The new "black" begonia. The finest hybrid of Mazae. Reddish flowers late in winter. Plant 50¢. Leaf 20¢.
- B. LACINATO FLORA - Yellow flowers; hairy leaves. Plant 50¢.
- B. CRESTABRUCKI - The Lettuce Leaf Begonia. Curly, crinkled edged leaves. Delicate pink flowers in winter. Plant 50¢.
- B. LEGACY - Rhizomatous; star shaped glossy bronze leaves with red under; upright type; leaf 20¢. Plant 50¢.
- B. HERACLEICOTYLE - Also called Mrs. Townsend. Bronzy green leaves. Shallow lobes. Showy pink flowers. Leaf 20¢.
- B. MAZAE - Popular with hybridists; upright bronzy green satiny surface. Flrs. deep pink. Plant 50¢. Leaf 20¢.
- B. MANICATA AUREO MACULATA - Rhizomatous; green and yellow markings; collar of red hairs under the leaf sinus; pink flrs. Plant 50¢.
- B. MRS. W. D. HARNEY - Cane type. Cutting 20¢.
- B. NELUMBIFOLIA - Large peltate leaves like a lotus. Flrs. white. Plant 50¢. /15¢.
- B. PERFECTA FLORA - Resembles Undulata except that the leaf is smaller. Wh. flrs. Cut
- B. PRUESSEN - Small pink tinged foliage; clusters of rose pink flrs, almost all the time. Plant 50¢.
- B. PEARLI - One of the Grape Leaf Group. Leaves of pearly gray with narrow green margin. Plant 50¢. Leaf 15¢. /in winter.
- B. RICINIFOLIA - Rhizomatous; leaf similar to the castor bean plant. Deep pink flrs.
- B. RICHARDSIANA - Semi-tuberous. Smallest leaf of the maple leaf type. Green leaves, deeply cut, feathery sprays of white flowers. Cut. 25¢.
- B. SCANDENS CORDIFOLIA - (Syn. B. Glabra) Larger and stronger than Scandens. Leaves are heart-shaped. Cut 25¢.
- B. SILVER STAR - Sharply lobed leaves heavily blotched with silver, with rosy cast. Beautiful plant. Plant 50¢. Leaf 25¢.



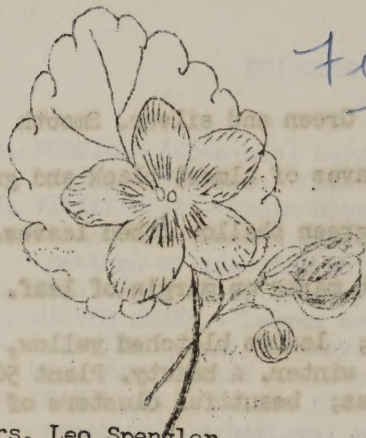
- B. SKEEZER - Smaller plant than B. Green Star. Bright Green and silver. Smooth surface. Leaf 20¢.
- B. SUNDERBRUCHI - The star begonia. Deeply slashed leaves of almost black and green. Pink flowers in winter. Plant 50¢. Leaf 20¢.
- B. SPECULATA - One of the Grape Leaf Group. Lt. gray green shallow lobed leaves. Surface blistered. Flrs. lovely pink. Leaf 15¢.
- B. STITCH LEAF - Small green leaf, dark brownish stitch marks on margin of leaf. Small size. Plant 50¢, leaf 25¢.
- B. TEMPLINI - The variegated Jessie. Erect, branching; leaves blotched yellow, margins tinted rose in the sunlight. Pink flrs. in winter. A beauty. Plant 50¢.
- B. VERSCHAEFELTI - Erect plant with shallow lobed leaves; beautiful clusters of bright pink flrs in winter. Leaf 25¢, Plant 50¢.
- B. Zee-Bawman, new ~~big~~ var. ~~silver-green leaves~~ - plant 75¢
- ALL BEGONIAS ARE OUT OF 2½" or 3" POTS.

# REX BEGONIAS

Plants out of 3" pots, 50¢. Only those checked are available at this time. Others later. Write me.

American Beauty	Mrs. Drew
Abalone	Mountain Haze
Anna Campbell	Maiden's Blush (Min. group 2½" pot)
Ballet Girl (spiral)	Mrs. Donnell (spiral)
Bearded	Nigger Tree
Bronze King (spiral)	Our Indian
Cordoza Gardens	Purple and Silver
Carmelita (spiral)	Purple Glow
Dark Night	Painted Lady
Embossed Silver	Perle Hume
Fireflush	Rubena
Glory of St. Albans	Rose Flush
Husband's Favorite	Rose Glow
Helen Lewis	Ranee (small type 2½" pot)
It (min. group 2½" pot)	Silver Arrow
King Edward	Silver Streak
Lescudsi	Silver Sweet
Lord Palmerston	Silver Lake
Lavender & Old Lace	Silver Lavender Edge
Lucy Closson (min. group 2½" pot)	Star Dust
	Seed Twist (Spiral)
	Seedling Spiral (several var.)
	Woodriff #700.





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